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Customer No. 22,852
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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| In re Application of: | |
| Vesna BIBEROVIC et al. | Group Art Unit: 1623 |
| Application No.: 10/680,934 | Examiner: Unassigned |
| Filed: October 8, 2003 | |
| For: MIXTURES OF POLYSACCHARIDES DERIVED FROM HEPARIN, THEIR PREPARATION AND PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING THEM | Confirmation No.: 6025 |

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

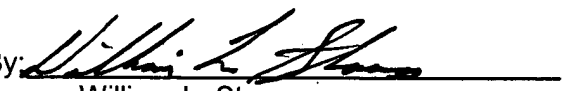
Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed January 14, 2004. A fee of $420.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW,
GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

Dated: May 13, 2004

By: 
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